



Welcome to the April 2014 newsletter from the Love's Farm Community Association (LFCA).

Easter Egg Hunt



Over 50 young people took part in our BIG Love's Farm Easter Egg Hunt. Thirty numbered eggs were placed around the estate and the prizes were kindly donated by Tesco Express on Love's Farm. The prize draw took place at Chocolate Bingo where we filled the room! It was such a success that we are going to make the Easter Egg Hunt an annual event. Thank you to Emma, our events co-ordinator for organising and running such fantastic events.

Next event – Quiz

It's back! Join us this Friday (25 April) at the Reedman's Bar, St Neots Football Club at 19:30. Max of 6 people per team, £1 per person. Don't worry if you don't have a team, there is always a team to join. We don't take it too seriously so please don't think this is Mastermind of University Challenge, questions on general knowledge. BYOB, the bar is not open so please bring your own refreshments and glasses.

Morning Walks

The first walk of our newly formed morning walking group met this week. This group has been set up by a resident of Love's Farm, take a look on our [website](#) and Facebook for further information about future walks.

Brown Tail moth infestation

We have a Brown Tail Moth problem in some parts of Love's Farm, in the trees and bushes. Hunts District Council are treating them with insecticide. Please take a look at their [leaflet](#) online, in case you have them in gardens.

SMART day – 26 April



Join us on Saturday 26th April to SMARTen up Love's Farm. It's time to grab a grabber and get litter picking. A couple of hours a month can make a huge difference to Love's Farm, and is a great opportunity to get some exercise and meet your neighbours. Saturday 26th April, 11am-1pm AND/OR 2pm-4pm, Meet at the Pirate Ship. All equipment provided

New on the forum

- [Council tax banding](#)
- [Parking](#)
- [Newspaper deliveries](#)
- [Swimming lessons](#)
- [Broadband service](#)

On our website

If you haven't already, take a wander around our website for lots of information about Love's Farm, including:

- Map
- Information for residents
- Frequently Asked Questions
- Developers
- Young People
- History
- Local information
- Out and about
- Our local councillors
- St Neots Football Club
- Gallery
- News
- Discussion forum
- Monthly meeting notes
- Newsletters

LFCA meetings

Every other month, the Love's Farm Community Association meet to discuss topical issues. The meetings are attended by residents of Love's Farm and our Councillors. This month, the discussion included:

Our goals for the year

The committee have decided to set goals for the year, to be completed by our AGM in the autumn. They are under the following headings:

- Places for people – our community centre, events and youth work.
- Respecting each other – Street Rep initiative, Neighbourhood Watch, SMART and responsible dog ownership
- Sharing spaces – Parking and Northern Access
- Building our community – Good news stories, our newsletter and website.

Everyone welcome to our committee meetings, future dates:

- 11 June 2014
- 13 August 2014
- 15 October 2014
- 10 Dec 2014

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